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Salisbury Cathedral was begun

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The new Cathedral of Chartres  
was completed 1225.

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SALISBURY Cathedral begun

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1912 Dates J-BK

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Second Coronation

England

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1912 Dates J-BK

Franco of Cologne invented  
"nets" in music.

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The power of the clergy was  
weakened in Norway.

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Robert de LUSARCHÉ, French  
Architect flourished 1220  
He designed the Cathedral  
of Amiens.

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AMIENS Cathedral in its present form was begun about 1220 under the leadership of Robert de LUZARCHES. The largest Gothic Cathedral in France.



1222

John III Ducas emperor of Nicaea.

Mongol incursions into South Europe.

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The mongol hordes moved to  
Merv. In its rubble a muslim  
holy man and his helpers spent  
13 days counting corpses (according to  
Juvaini, who says they tallied 1.3  
million - taking into account only  
those that were plain to see).

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## Balkh

Further south from Merv; Balkh surrendered  
Its citizens were massacred anyway -  
divided up according to the usual  
custom into hundreds and thousands  
to be put to the sword.

But: Balkh Shah Muhammad of  
Khwarezm and his son Jalal ad-Din  
were still at large; and Jalal, a  
formidable leader had gathered

thousands of men to his banner.